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MEMORANDUM FOR ALL DDC EMPLOYEES

SUBJECT: Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Birthday Observance

Monday, January 17, 2005, marks the Nation's 20th annual observance to celebrate the dream of Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. The Defense Distribution Center will join our great Nation in remembering Dr. King, who believed that a person's worth should "not be judged by the color of their skin, but by the content of their character." Dr. King made great strides towards enhancing the principles of racial equality for all. While our constitution provides for equality, Dr. King bravely challenged many of the injustices prevalent in our society, and the need for change.

This year's theme is: "Remember! Celebrate! Act! A DAY ON, NOT A DAY OFF! As we celebrate this observance, let's remember Dr. King for his work and his dream. Our goal should be to rededicate ourselves to the principles of equality, dignity, and respect for all as we pay tribute to the legacy of this great American.

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